



UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE  
United States Patent and Trademark Office  
Address: COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450  
[www.uspto.gov](http://www.uspto.gov)

APPLICATION NO.	FILING DATE	FIRST NAMED INVENTOR	ATTORNEY DOCKET NO.	CONFIRMATION NO.
10/017,068	12/13/2001	Rodney A. Perkins	017534-000730US	7372
20350	7590	11/14/2005	EXAMINER	
TOWNSEND AND TOWNSEND AND CREW, LLP TWO EMBARCADERO CENTER EIGHTH FLOOR SAN FRANCISCO, CA 94111-3834			MENDEZ, MANUEL A	
			ART UNIT	PAPER NUMBER
			3763	

DATE MAILED: 11/14/2005

Please find below and/or attached an Office communication concerning this application or proceeding.



UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE  
United States Patent and Trademark Office  
Address: COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450  
[www.uspto.gov](http://www.uspto.gov)

-- The MAILING DATE of this communication appears on the cover sheet with the correspondence address --

**NOTICE UNDER 37 CFR 1.251 - WITHDRAWAL OF PRIOR NOTICE**

The file of the above-identified application or patent has been located. The Notice under 37 CFR 1.251, mailed on 6/28/05, is hereby vacated. The Office regrets any inconvenience this may have caused.

Direct any reply to this notice to:

Mail Stop RECONSTRUCTION  
Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450

Direct questions concerning this notice to:

*Dealy, Sauer*  
(571) 272-4333